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17 SUPREME COURT OF WASHINGTON
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22 SUYEMATSU ET AL.,
2324 Petitioners,
2526 v.
2728 SECRETARY OF STATE SAM REED, ET
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3132 Respondents.
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NO. 76321-6

DECLARATION OF STEVEN
FRYMIRE IN SUPPORT OF PETITION
FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS35
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37 I, Steven Frymire, declare under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of
38 Washington that the following is true and correct:
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41 1. I am over the age of 18, am competent to be a witness herein, and make this
42 declaration based on my own personal knowledge.
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45 2. I drove Jeremy Wall to his designated Snohomish County polling place for
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1 the November 2000 election. I recollect that he was successfully able to vote as I entered
2 the polling place with him and we discussed the candidates he had voted for the way home
3 from his designated polling place in November of 2000.
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6 3. During the afternoon of November 2, 2004, I drove Mr. Wall to the polling
7 place designated for his current address. The polling place was the same one that I drove
8 him to in 2000. Though Mr. Wall was properly registered to vote and had voted in a prior
9 election at the exact same polling location, I observed Mr. Wall being denied the right to
10 vote as a poll voter. The election workers at the precinct informed Mr. Wall that his name
11 was not in the poll book register and I observed Mr. Wall complete and return a provisional
12 ballot at the polling precinct.
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15 4. On or about the morning of November 3, I telephoned the Snohomish County
16 Election Office. I attempted to ascertain why Jeremy Wall was not listed in the poll book
17 register on Election Day. I was informed that he was not listed as a registered voter in
18 Snohomish County, and that the county had no record of him ever having been registered to
19 vote in the County. While I was on the telephone, the elections worker informed me that she
20 entered different permutations of Jeremy Wall's name into the computer system, in an
21 attempt to see if his name had inadvertently been misspelled and entered wrongly into the
22 computer. However, there was no record of any variation of Jeremy Wall in the Snohomish
23 County election computer system. In addition to the original election worker I spoke with, I
24 also had a conversation with a supervisor at the election's office. Further, I spoke with yet
25 another person at the election's office recommended as someone with particular proficiency
26 with the election office computer system. Neither employee was able to determine why
27 there was no record of Jeremy Wall as a registered voter in Snohomish County, though he
28 had voted without incident in November 2000.
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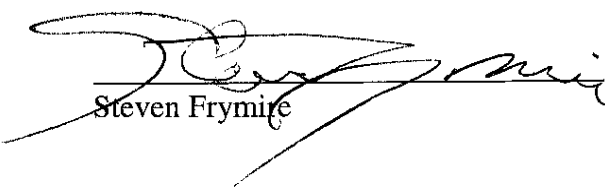
1 5. In addition to checking with the Snohomish County Elections Office, I also
2 telephoned the King County Elections Office on or about November 3, 2004. I called King
3 County in the event Jeremy Wall's voter registration had been inadvertently transferred to
4 the wrong county. An elections worker informed me King County had no record of Jeremy
5 Wall as a registered voter.
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10 6. I spent approximately two hours on the phone with various election offices in
11 an attempt to find out why Mr. Wall was no longer registered to vote. It has still not been
12 sufficiently explained to me why, though he voted without incident in 2000, he is no longer
13 listed as a registered voter. I fundamentally believe in his right to vote, and want to see his
14 vote counted in this year's election.
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17 7. I am the person who spoke with the elections offices and watched Mr. Wall
18 vote by provisional ballot.
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20 DATED this 6 day of December, 2004 in Bothell Washington
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